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Henry Watterson, Anarchist.

(Louisville Dispatch, Aug. 22.)

It looks cruel, we know, to confront the Courier-Journal and its editor with such a record as it has behind it, but its treachery is coupled with some superficial insolence and slanderous corruption that the public needs to be reminded of the course which the Courier-Journal pursued before it enlisted under the black flag of corruption in politics. The following article appeared in the Courier-Journal April 12, 1886, and if it is a surety to stand by the cause of the masses of the people, Henry Watterson and the Courier-Journal are the original anarchists of Kentucky:

BRAINS AND NUMBERS.

The impertinent slur is sometimes heard that if the cause of bimetalism has the advantage in numbers, the cause of monometalism has the advantage in brains.

While the proposition is false, it has a phase of superficial plausibility upon it. The policy is exposed by the single consideration which might be advanced as an extinguisher. The cause of bimetalism is that of the masses of men upon the earth who do the world's labor and work out its productions, and the cause of monometalism is the cause of the money oligarchy who, by the medium of rent, interest and craft, secure to themselves the greater part of the fruits of the producers' toil. It is the interest of the millions against that of the tens, and, as the former have not the leisure, from the exigencies of their position, or, indeed, the means to devote to a very general and profound education, it follows very naturally that the minority, whom they support and enrich, are enabled to maintain a superior personal average of education.

But there has never been and there never will be a case in any popular movement against oppression to which the same impertinent sneer is not quite applicable as to the money question. There is always some caste, or order, or class which has arrogated to itself some special privilege, some peculiar advantage, some power or prerogative in derogation of public rights and interests, and when the popular mass is aroused to proceed against its oppressions, the patriots never have averaged out quite as well in personal education, cultivation or craft as the small minority who have been despoiling them. The reasons are so obvious that it is a waste of words to explain it. The Bourbon minority in France had a better personal average of brains than the patriots who overthrew them. The better personal average of brains was with the despotism of Charles I., though the numbers were with Cromwell. The personal average of brains in banking and finance was with Biddle and his rotten bank though the numbers were with President Jackson and Thomas Hart Benton.

But there is no lacking illustrious leadership for popular uprising to recapture the lost possessions of the public and put down its enemies. The men designed to lead such movements to victory are magnetized by the generous fire of noble aspirations than could influence the enemies of the common humanity, and they are thus equipped with concentrated moral powers borrowed like their trusts of leadership from the great masses who follow them. While their movements may lack something, then, in some of the personal averages of the rank and file, they have the compensating concentration of brain power at the head of the column and all the advantages of both skill or craft and numbers.

As to this money question, the beneficiaries from monometalism are retired capitalists and creditors—a small part of the population numerically, but people of very high average of personal training and cultivation. When this small segment of the population conspire to rob all the remainder by cheapening their labor and labor products, it does not mean much as a test of the merits of the question to say that the brains and the numbers are on opposite sides.

For, after all, the question is one of common sense, as well as learning, of experience, as well as theoretic science. A very plain man could readily perceive and grasp the bottom principle of Adam Smith's "Wealth of Nations," that "it is labor instead of gold and silver which is the true measure of value." This fact which is fundamental, is so clear and plain that the plowman can understand it as well as the financial expert—so clear, indeed, that no one but a knave or a blockhead could dispute or question it. Even gold, the fetish of this oligarchy, is measured by this common standard of labor. If it were practicable to mine gold as freely and with as little expenditure of labor as iron, gold would be worth less than iron, the cost being no greater and the utility as an agent and medium of industry being much less. Twelve years ago, in point of fact, a period of elopement production of gold had lowered it below the parity of silver. Now, while all the world is struggling for it, the cost of its production is indicated by the fact that the yield has fallen off to the maximum more than one-third. It costs more labor to produce a given quantity. The value has increased proportionately.

These are facts which men know without the training of the bank office. Men can also learn that it is necessary 25 to 35 per cent. more wheat, or cotton, or iron,

or sugar, or what not, to bring them in \$50, or \$100 or \$1,000 in gold, or its equivalent, than a few years ago. Labor, therefore, which is the cost and the highest test, teaches even plain people that gold has been very sharply advanced in value in the disastrous period which has been peculiarly bearing by the conspiracy of income-hoarding capital against labor and producing capital.

To say that it requires 25 to 35 per cent. more labor produce to purchase a given sum of gold, or its equivalent, is to say that the gold power has acquired that much more sovereignty over the human race. The capacity to labor and the endurance of brain and brawn have not increased. Unfortunately, in proportion to the rise in gold—to the increase of toil and hardship imposed upon men; and consequently this same conspiracy is going a little further than a law more useful than that of monometalism allowed Shylock to venture, and is taking away more or less of the life-blood of producers with the pound of flesh. And there are other facts which may be learned outside of the school or back parlors.

Francis B. Allen, of Hartford, was elected Junior Vice Commander of the G. A. R.

How a Stanford Boy Got a \$1500 Job Out West.

From a recent issue of the much esteemed Stanford Interior Journal we copied this notice a few weeks ago:

"Mr. Wm. G. Lackey, son of Hon. G. A. Lackey of this place, is visiting his old home for a few days preparatory to his departure for the west to become assistant General Attorney of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas R. R. His many Stanford friends rejoice in this early recognition of the excellent qualities of our young friend."

There is a little story back of this which may interest readers of the CLIMAX who are acquainted with the young gentleman who has so suddenly risen to prominence. About four months ago the associate editor of this paper, whose duties as Grand Recorder of the Sigma Xi Fraternity bring him into close relationship with many hundreds of young men throughout the country, received from a frater in the West a letter informing him that at Center College and ranked among the office of Assistant Attorney of the M. & K. T. R. R., with a salary of \$1500, and that any person who might be recommended, would be appointed. The position was one much to be desired, and there were numerous applicants for it; but an unequivocal endorsement would secure the place to any friend the Grand Recorder might name. The letter was deeply inside of the house and of the responsibility attached to the pleasant task, and at once looked over the roster of names of these brothers engaged in the practice of law, in search of one whom he could personally and unqualifiedly endorse as competent and worthy to fill the position.

Back in 1880 there came to Central University from Stanford a young man who passed his freshman year at Center College and ranked among the foremost of his class. He remained here three years and made a record with which his fondest friends were satisfied, which means that he was brilliant, and was appointed assistant principal of the Hardin College Institute at Elizabethtown, by the Curators of Central University. He gave this up in three years only to take up law, his chosen profession. He occupied his spare time while at home in reading in the office of his uncle, Hon. W. G. Welch, of Stanford, after school hours at Elizabethtown he put in his time in the same manner in some of the law offices there. So that in October, 1886, when he was examined for admission to the Bar of St. Louis, out of a class of fourteen he and another were the only two who successfully passed the rigid examination. He opened an office at 800 Chestnut street and was, like all young barristers, making a fight for the prize. It was this young man, Wm. Gatewood Lackey, whom we recommended for the \$1500 position, and the above clipping from the Stanford Journal tells the result.

Not only because Mr. Lackey was a member of our fraternity did we name him for this coveted position, for his duties are such as to test to the utmost qualities of the head far more than those of the heart, but we were fully satisfied that his mental attainments, his moral character, his well balanced judgment and his ambition and industry would have nothing to be desired by his superiors. His promising career, his three years record in Elizabethtown, all warranted the belief that an opportunity was all that was needed to fulfill the prophesies of all those who best knew this excellent young man. If his health shall continue good in his new home, which is to be at Muskogee, Indian Territory, we have no doubt he will not fear for the future of our college friend.

The following from the St. Louis Republic should not be taken seriously, though it would be in line with his good sense, whenever his mind turns lightly to thoughts of love, to choose a wife from among the fair daughters of his native Stanford. The Republic says:

"There is weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth among the belles at Jennings and the Hids's. They have heard that Mr. William G. Lackey has gone to Kentucky, antecedent to his having recently received an appointment as assistant attorney of the M. & K. T. in the Indian Territory. This fact in itself is not so threatening, were it not for the rumor that he is going there for a purpose—for a decided purpose—that of getting a fair young Kentucky bride, and taking her to the plains of the Red Man. He is due at the Heights with his bride on the 20th, from whence he will lead her into the territorial wilderness. It is also whispered that his lady has dubbed him Knight and fearlessly accompanies him, ready to share his dangers with him, even to live in a dugout without a mirror. Society awaits his arrival on the tip-toe of curiosity."

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"Oh, they will undoubtedly make all they can out of it, but it will not be swallowed. Everybody knows that this is only the result of natural condition, and has not been brought about by a Republican administration. Had it not been for the failure of European crops wheat would now be worth but 50 cents a bushel in spite of everything that we could do. Next year the conditions may be reversed, and you will see that I am right. Wheat is the natural foundation of breadstuffs, and if a law should be passed prohibiting its use for such purposes what would it be worth? Such a law would be considered manifestly unjust, but yet just such a law holds silver in its grasp after it has been used as money for ages."

Some of our Republican friends have expressed the idea that Democrats are sorry because there are evidences of better times. This is not true. The Democrats welcome good times as heartily as Republicans. Ain't we all fellow citizens and in the same boat? What the Sentinel Democrat denies is that any prosperity shall be credited to the Republican party. Praise the Lord—Mt. Sterling Sentinel Democrat.

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